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#### Filing at a Glance

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Filing Type: Rate Reviewer(s): Laszlo Pentek

Authors: Brett Miller, Todd Switzer, Disposition Date: 04/17/2008

Katheryn Barron

Date Submitted: 03/11/2008 Disposition Status: APPROVED

Implementation Date Requested: 07/01/2008 Implementation Date:

#### **General Information**

Project Name: DC GHMSI Ind65+ UW 200807 eff

Project Number: 1095

Requested Filing Mode: Review & Approval

Explanation for Combination/Other:

Submission Type: New Submission

Overall Rate Impact:

Status of Filing in Domicile:

Date Approved in Domicile:

Market Type: Individual

Group Market Size:

Group Market Type:

Filing Status Changed: 04/17/2008 Explanation for Other Group Market Type:

State Status Changed:

Deemer Date: Created By: Katheryn Barron

Submitted By: Katheryn Barron Corresponding Filing Tracking Number:

Filing Description:

This filing contains the rate proposal for Group Hospitalization and Medical Services, Inc (GHMSI) dba CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield's individual, Medigap Underwritten medical coverage, with an effective date of July 1, 2008. Please refer to the Cover Letter / Filing Description (Supporting Documentation) and Actuarial Memorandum (Rate/Rule Schedule) for more details.

# **Company and Contact**

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**Filing Contact Information** 

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**Filing Company Information** 

Group Hospitalization and Medical Services, CoCode: 53007 State of Domicile: District of

Inc. Columbia

840 First Street NE Group Code: Company Type: Hospital, Medical &

Dental Service or Indemnity

Expense

Washington, DC 20065 Group Name: State ID Number:

(410) 581-3000 ext. [Phone] FEIN Number: 53-0078070

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### **Filing Fees**

Fee Required? No Retaliatory? No

Fee Explanation:

Per Company: No

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# **Supporting Document Schedules**

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Actuarial Justification APPROVED 04/17/2008

Comments: Attachment:

DC Act Cert.pdf

Item Status: Status

Date:

Satisfied - Item: Cover Letter / Filing Description APPROVED 04/17/2008

**Comments:** 

Attachment:

1095\_GHMSI DC Cover Letter.pdf

### **ACTUARIAL CERTIFICATION**

I, Brett S. Miller, am the Manager in charge of Pricing with CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield (GHMSI) and a member of the American Academy of Actuaries. I have been involved in the development of these rates.

To the best of my knowledge and judgment, this rate filing complies with applicable laws and regulations of the District of Columbia and produces premiums that are reasonable in relation to benefits provided.

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Brett S. Miller, ASA, MAAA Sr. Actuarial Associate, Actuarial Pricing CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield (GHMSI) Mail Drop-Point 01-780 Pricing Department 10455 Mill Run Circle Owings Mills, MD 21117 CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield 10455 Mill Run Circle Owings Mills, MD 21117-5559 www.carefirst.com

March 11, 2008



Department of Insurance & Securities Regulation 810 1<sup>st</sup> Street, NE Washington, DC 20002-8023

Re: Group Hospitalization and Medical Services Inc. dba CareFirst BlueCross BlueShield NAIC No. 53007 FEIN# 53-0078070 Filing #1095

To whom it may concern:

We would like to file for the following change:

- Decrease rates for ages 65-69 by 7.5%
- Decrease rates for ages 70-74 by 2.5%

This rate change will apply to our Underwritten plans C & F.

Please refer to the following sections of the actuarial memorandum for more details:

- Impact analysis for GHMSI underwritten plans due to implementation of age changes (p. 2)
- GHMSI overall Medigap experience as of December 31, 2007 (p. 3)
- Updated rate sheets for all applicable plans (p. 4-7)

We appreciate your consideration of this matter.

If you have any additional questions regarding this filing, please contact me at (410) 998-7564 or Mr. Todd Switzer, Director of Actuarial Pricing (410) 998-7107.

Sincerely,

Brett S. Miller, A.S.A., M.A.A.A. Sr. Actuarial Associate Actuarial Pricing Department